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1. SAUDI ARABIA DOES HAVE REGULATIONS ON IMPORTED POULTRY AND BEEF. ALTHOUGH WE WERE UNABLE TO CONTACT APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS (HAJJ HOLIDAY SEASON IS STILL ON HERE), WE HAVE CONTACTED THE LEADING FOOD IMPORTER. HE INFORMS US THAT APPROPRIATE PROCEDURE IS TO CONTACT COMMERCIAL ATTACHE AT SAUDI EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON D.C. ATTACHE WILL HAVE FORMS TESTIFYING TOMETHODS OF SLAUGHTER, ETC.

2. ALTHOUGH EMBASSY HAS NOW RETIRED FILES, WE RECALL THAT THIS SAME QUESTION WAS ASKED IN LATE 1972 OR EARLY 1973. IT WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL TO OUR OVERBURDENED COMMERCIAL SECTION IF WASHINGTON AGENCIES AND STATE CHECK THEIR BACK FILES BEFORE ASKING QUESTIONS WHICH HAVE ALTEADY BEEN ANSWERED.

3. CONCERNING FREEZERS (REF B AND D), IMPORTER MENTIONED

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ABOVE IS ALSO WILLING TO PROVIDE FREEZER FOR SALES TEAM

IF EARLIER CONTACT SHOULD NOT COME THROUGH.

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